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In re Application of: Nick, Sasha App. Filed Papplication No. 09/934,000

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SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR SCALABLE MULTI-LEVEL REMOTE

DIAGNOSIS AND PREDICTIVE MAINTENANCE

Mail Stop Amendment Commission.

Commission.

Box 1450 Commissioner for Patents

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

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Transmitted herewith is a response to an office action in the subject application.

Small entity status is claimed for this application under 37 CFR 1.27.

Petition for an extension of time for the period noted below, as well as for any additional period necessary to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 for the appropriate petition fee.

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TIME EXTENSION PETITION FEE			none		\$ 0.00		\$ 0.00	
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INDEPENDENT	2	Minus	4	= 0	x 100=	\$0	x 200=	\$
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE CLAIM					+ 180=	\$	+ 360=	\$
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AMENDMENT C

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 23, 2005, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks. No new matter is introduced by these amendments.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 5.